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DISABLEMENT OF DISPLAY DURING TELEMETRY

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of this application, please amend the application as indicated in this Preliminary Amendment.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.